FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. S. 509

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The Honorable Joe E. Brown, Chairman, House Medical, Military, Public and Municipal

Affairs Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

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SUBJECT: Hair Braiding

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

This Bill provides for the registration and regulation of persons who practice hair braiding, and defines "hair braiding". It also requires hair braiders to pay a \$25 registration fee and attend a six hour training course approved by the Board of Cosmetology.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation reports this Bill will have no impact on the General Fund of the State, or on Federal and/or Other Funds. It is assumed that any cost associated with implementing the provisions of this Bill will be covered by the registration fee.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

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